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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Joseph B. Bernstein and Zhihui Duan

Application No.: 08/825,808

Group: 1104

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For: LASER-INDUCED CUTTING OF METAL INTERCONNECT

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 Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

 Transmitted herewith is a Preliminary Amendment for filing in the above-identified application.

[X] Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

[] A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

(COL. 1)	(COL. 2)	(COL. 3)	(COL. 4)	(COL. 5)
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
TOTAL	41	MINUS	* 41	0
INDEP	2	MINUS	** 3	0
<input type="checkbox"/>	FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM			

 * not fewer than 20
 ** not fewer than 3

SMALL ENTITY		
	RATE	ADDIT. FEE
X	\$11	\$ 0
X	\$41	\$ 0
+	\$135	\$ 0

 TOTAL = \$ 0

OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY		
	RATE	ADDIT. FEE
X	\$22	\$
X	\$82	\$
+	\$270	\$

 TOTAL = \$ 0

Please charge Deposit Account No. 08-0380 for the following fees:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Petition for [] month Extension of Time	\$	_____
<input type="checkbox"/>	Amendment Fee	\$	_____
<input type="checkbox"/>	Other Fees:		
	_____	\$	_____
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	TOTAL:	\$	<u>0</u>

A check is enclosed in payment of the following fees:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Petition for [] month Extension of Time	\$	_____
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	_____	\$	_____
	TOTAL:	\$	<u>0</u>

☒ A general authorization is hereby granted to charge Deposit Account No. 08-0380 for any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 in order to maintain pendency of this application. A copy of this authorization is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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